

# HURRICANE

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## Guide for The Fort Shafter & Schofield Barracks Communities



Some of you may think that we are safe from any type of danger here in the middle of the Pacific Ocean. Yes, we are in paradise, with sunny skies and beautiful beaches, but in an instant that can all change. Hurricanes and tropical storms can be our worst enemy in the Hawaiian Islands.

### Tracking a Hurricane

When a hurricane is approaching Hawaii, you will probably learn about it from radio or television news reports. The news media will be reporting on advisories they receive from the National Weather Service (NWS) in Honolulu.

In addition, residents should stay tuned to the Schofield Barracks HACN TV2 for detailed information on actions to take. Specific instructions on the things you need to do, and supplies you should have on hand will be announced. By monitoring a local TV or radio station, and HACN TV2 you will be sure to have an understanding of last minute actions to take.

***Don't wait until it's too late! Take the time NOW to locate your assigned emergency shelter!***

***See pages 2 & 3 for shelter assignments.***

Now is the time to begin to prepare. Everyone should begin to prepare their family for hurricane season (June through December). There is a multitude of information available on disaster preparedness. Everyone should refer to the GTE Hawaiian Telephone directory for information on civil defense warnings and procedures. Included with this flyer are other important details you need to know.

Take some time now to educate yourself and your family. At one time or another most of us have been involved in a fire drill at home or where we work. We do this so we know what to do if there ever was a fire in our place of duty, or our home. Knowing what to do in the event of a hurricane is just as important.

**If the head of the household is away on a deployment will the rest of the family know what to do?**

Included in this flyer you will find some of the basics you need to know to start you and your family on the road to being prepared.

***Hurricanes are dangerous...***

**W**hat makes hurricanes the dangerous storms they are? Is it that they combine the triple hazard of violent winds, torrential rains, abnormally high waves and storm tides? Each of these by itself can pose a serious threat to life and property. Taken together they are capable of causing widespread destruction.

Hurricane Iniki took its toll on Hawaii, September 1992. Damages resulting from Hurricane Iniki totaled \$2.4 billion. Oahu alone sustained \$31 million in damage.

Schofield Barracks also felt the blow of the hurricane damage. Extensive renovations to portions of the post leaves the impression that Schofield Barracks escaped the wrath of the hurricane. Don't wait until the last minute to prepare for this year's hurricane season. Take some time out and review these easy tips for preparing your family for this year's Hurricane Season.

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# Fort Shafter Community Shelter Plan

The following is a list of government housing areas and the corresponding shelter. If your housing area is not listed below please call the Oahu South Community Director's Office, Fort Shafter at 438-6996.

## HOUSING SHELTER AREA LOCATION

**AMR**  
(ALL Residents) Emergency Relocation Center  
Fort Shafter (Tunnel)  
Bldg #1292

**TAMC**  
(ALL Residents) Tripler Gym/Bowling Alley  
Bldg #300

**FORT SHAFTER**  
(ALL Residents) Fort Shafter Gym  
Fort Shafter Bowling Center  
Bldgs# 665 & 660

**HANDICAP SHELTERS:**  
**ALL SHELTERS ARE HANDICAP  
ACCESSIBLE**

**BE PREPARED  
WITH AN EMERGENCY READY  
KIT!  
(SEE PAGE 4)**



**DO NOT evacuate until told to do so.**  
**Specific instructions and other  
information will be broadcast on HACN  
TV2 and via the Military Police.**

### LEAVING HOME:

- Assemble Family
- Leave note for those absent. Give time, destination, and phone number.
- Wedge sliding doors. Secure residence: Lock windows and doors.
- Take emergency ready kit.
- Provide for pets. **NO PETS IN SHELTERS.**
- Shut off electricity and gas.

### RETURNING HOME:

- Exercise caution! Check for:
- Structure damage
- Electrical short circuits
- Gas Leaks
- Broken water lines
- Contaminated food/water

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# Schofield Bks Community Shelter Plan

The following is a list of housing townships and the corresponding shelter. If your township is not listed below or you are unsure of what township you are in, please call the Oahu North Community Director's Office at 655-0497.

**DO NOT** evacuate until told to do so. Specific instructions for transportation, routes and other information will be announced.

<u>SHELTERS</u>	<u>TOWNSHIPS</u>	<u>AHFH COMMUNITY</u>
(A QUAD) BLDG 130-131 115th MI	Kona Village	(CANBY) **
(B QUAD) BLDG 155-158 45th CSG	Waianae Uka, General's Loop Waianae Terrace	(CANBY)
(D QUAD) BLDG 450-451 3rd BDE	Hale Nani Mendonca Park Akolea Pt	(SOLOMON ) (CANBY) (SANTE FE)
(E QUAD) BLDG 549-552 DISCOM	McCornack Park Hendrickson Hts	(LYMAN) (SANTE FE)
(I QUAD) BLDG 745 3/7th FA	Constitution Park, Patriot Park Castner Village	(PATRIOT)
(BLDG 1492) 3 BSTB	Kole Kole Ridge	(LEADER FIELD)
(BLDG 3004) 25th UEx STB	Maile Terrace	(LEADER FIELD)
(BLDG2086-2087) 2nd BDE	McMahon Village	(SANTE FE & LYMAN)
HMR (BLDG 173 Community Center) 25th MP BN	Heleman Village	(HELEMANO)
HMR (BLDG 177 25th MP BN HQ) 25th MP BN	Rainbow Village	(HELEMANO)
HMR (BLDG 441 Physical Fitness Center) 25th MP BN	Tradewind Mesa	(HELEMANO)
WAAF (BLDG 844 AVN COF BLDG) AVN BDE	Puali, WiliWili Circle	(WHEELER)
WAAF (BLDG 1735 Bowling Center) AVN BDE	Banyan Tree Village	(WHEELER) **
WAAF (BLDG 316 Individual Training & Evaluation Branch) AVN BDE	Mokulele Village, Camp Stover	(WHEELER)

Note \*\* Handicapped Accessible Shelter

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# Emergency Ready Kit List of Items:

This kit is designed to provide guidance for making a family an independent, self sustaining group in an emergency situation while displaced to an emergency shelter.

## Food Items:

- (1) Food of the sack-lunch type for two family meals.
- (2) A 72 hour supply of baby food if required.
- (3) One gallon vacuum-type water jug, or one canteen per person (keep filled with fresh water at all times).

## Toilet Kit:

- (1) Soap and hand towels.
- (2) One roll of toilet tissue or a large box of facial tissue.
- (3) Sanitary napkins.
- (4) Disposable diapers, if required.

## Clothing: (per person).

- (1) Two pairs of socks.
- (2) One change of underwear.
- (3) One serviceable jacket or outer coat (water repellent).

## General Items:

- (1) One blanket (wool) per person.
- (2) One utility knife, with miscellaneous attachments, e.g., spoon, fork, can opener.
- (3) Flashlights with extra batteries.
- (4) Battery lamp with batteries.
- (5) Plastic eating utensils, to include cups.
- (6) Pocket knife.
- (7) First aid kit containing:
  - Box of adhesive bandages of assorted sizes.
  - One bottle of disinfectant

- Pair of scissors
- Bottle of baby oil, if required
- Can of baby powder, if required
- A roll of one inch adhesive tape
- Two rolls of one-inch gauze

## Miscellaneous items:

- (1) Sewing kit
- (2) Currency: \$50
- (3) Cigarette lighter with flints/fluid or matches
- (4) Battery operated radio with extra batteries
- (5) An extra pair of glasses, if required

## Personal Papers:

- (1) Insurance policies.
- (2) Immunization/shot records.
- (3) Special prescriptions, if required.

## Additional Food Items:

In addition to items in the packaged "Ready Kit", a minimum of three days supply of nonperishable food (preferably canned, ready to eat variety) should be maintained in quarters for emergencies.

## Privately Owned Vehicles:

A car should be kept in good running condition, with the gas tank at least one-half full, at all times. Gasoline pumps are generated by electricity and power could be out on post for some time. **Think long term!**



## Suggested Food Items For Your Kit:

**REPLACE YOUR READY KIT ITEMS IF SHELF LIFE HAS EXPIRED**

FOOD	SHELF LIFE (in months)
Non-fat dry milk	6
Canned Meat	12-18
Tuna	
Beef Stew	
Chili with beans	
Salmon	
Vienna Sausage	
Spam	
Corned Beef Hash	
Deviled Ham	
Chunked Chicken	
Assorted Soups	
Canned Fruit/Veg	12-18
Peaches, Pears,	
Pineapple, F.Cocktail	
Peas, Corn, beans etc.	
Seedless Raisins	
Cereals/Baked Goods	12-18
Instant Hot Cereal	
Cold Cereal	
Rice	
Cookies	
Sugar/Sweets	18-24
Miscellaneous	8-24
Instant Drinks	
Instant Coffee/Tea	
Salt/Pepper	
Mustard/Catsup	
Peanut Butter (unopened)	
<b>Pet Food (Keep in mind pets are not allowed in emergency shelters) We also know pets need consideration. Be sure to leave a supply of food and water.</b>	

# OAHU HURRICANE & TROPICAL STORM SHELTERS

- Shelters will be opened selectively depending on storm severity. Listen to radio and television for shelter designations and opening schedule.

## DISTRICT 1—Honolulu

Aina Haina Elementary  
 Aliamanu Elementary  
 Aliamuna Intermediate  
 Aliiolani Elementary  
 Central Middle  
 Dole Middle  
 Farrington High  
 Hahaione Elementary  
 Hickam Elementary  
 Hokenani Elementary  
 Honolulu Community College  
 Jarrett Middle  
 Jefferson Elementary  
 Kaahumanu Elementary  
 Kaewai Elementary  
 Kaimuki High  
 Kaimuki Middle  
 Kaiser High  
 Kaiulani Elementary  
 Kalakaua Middle  
 Kalani High  
 Kalihi Elementary  
 Kalihi Kai Elementary  
 Kalihi Uka Elementary  
 Kalihi Waena Elementary  
 Kamiloiki Elementary  
 Kapalama Elementary  
 Kapiolani Community College  
 Kauluwela elementary  
 Kawanakoa Middle  
 Kokohead Elementary  
 Kuhio Elementary  
 Lanakila Elementary  
 Liholiho Elementary  
 Likelike Elementary  
 Liliuokalani Elementary  
 Linapuni Elementary  
 Lunalilo Elementary  
 Maemae Elementary  
 Manoa Elementary  
 McKinley High  
 Moanalua High  
 Moanalua Middle  
 Mokulele Elementary  
 Niu Valley Middle  
 Noelani Elementary  
 Nuuanu Elementary  
 Palolo Elementary  
 Pauoa Elementary  
 Pearl Harbor Elementary  
 Pearl Kai Elementary  
 Puuhale Elementary  
 Red Hill Elementary  
 Roosevelt High  
 Royal Elementary  
 Salt Lake Elementary  
 Shafter Elementary  
 Stevenson Middle  
 Waialae Elementary  
 Waikiki Elementary  
 Washington Middle  
 Wilson Elementary

## DISTRICT 2—Wai'alua

Hanalani Schools  
 Helemano Elementary  
 Iliahi Elementary  
 Kaala Elementary  
 Leilehua High School  
 Mililani Ike Elementary  
 Mililani High School  
 Mililani Mauka Elementary  
 Mililani Middle School  
 Mililani Uka Elementary  
 Solomon Elementary  
 Wahiawa Elementary  
 Wahiawa Middle  
 Wai'alua High & Intermediate  
 Wheeler Elementary  
 Wheeler Middle

## DISTRICT 3—Ma'ili

Kamaile Elementary  
 Leihoku Elementary  
 Maili Elementary  
 Makaha Elementary  
 Makakilo Elementary  
 Mauka Lani Elementary  
 Nanakuli Elementary  
 Nanakuli High & Intermediate  
 Waianae Elementary  
 Waianae Intermediate

## DISTRICT 4—Kailua

Ahuimani Elementary  
 Benjamin Parker Elementary  
 Castle High  
 Enchanted Lake Elementary  
 Heeia Elementary  
 Kahaluu Elementary  
 Kailua Elementary  
 Kailua High  
 Kailua Intermediate  
 Kainalu Elementary  
 Kalaheo High  
 Kaneohe Elementary  
 Kapunahala Elementary  
 Keolu Elementary  
 King Intermediate  
 Lanikai Elementary  
 Mokapu Elementary  
 Pope Elementary  
 Puohale Elementary  
 Waiahole Elementary & Intermediate  
 Waimanalo Elementary & Intermediate

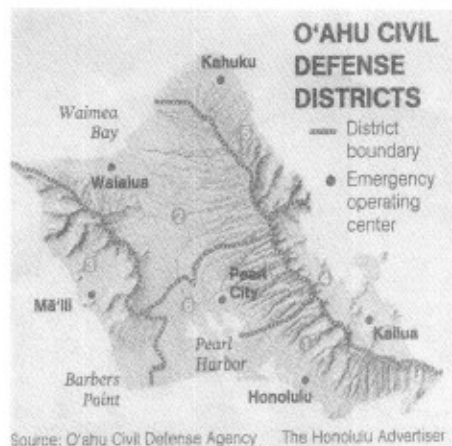
## DISTRICT 5—Kahuku

Brigham Young University  
 Kahuku High & Intermediate

## DISTRICT 6—Pearl City

Aiea Elementary  
 Aiea High  
 Aiea Intermediate  
 August Ahrens Elementary  
 Campbell High  
 Ewa Elementary  
 Highlands Intermediate  
 Honowai Elementary  
 Ilima Intermediate  
 Iroquois Point Elementary  
 Kaimiloa Elementary  
 Kaleiopuu Elementary  
 Kanoelani Elementary  
 Kapolei Elementary  
 Kapolei High  
 Leeward Community College  
 Lehua Elementary  
 Makalapa Elementary School  
 Manana Elementary  
 Momilani Elementary School  
 Palasades Elementary  
 Pearl City High  
 Pearl City Highlands Elementary  
 Pearl Ridge Elementary  
 Pohakea Elementary  
 Radford High School  
 Waiau Elementary  
 Waimalu Elementary  
 Waipahu Elementary  
 Waipahu High  
 Waipahu Intermediate  
 Webling Elementary

**FOR A COMPLETE LISTING ON  
 LOCAL SHELTERS, CALL THE  
 OAHU CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY  
 523-4121/22**



## ??FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS??

### 1. How are our quarters assigned to a shelter?

A. The shelters have been assigned based on the number of personnel within each of the housing areas and how many personnel each shelter can accommodate. This is to ensure ALL occupants can report smoothly and safely to their shelter without overcrowding. Additionally, your shelter may **not** necessarily be the shelter closest to your quarters. You are to report to the shelter that has been **assigned** to your quarters (see pg 3 for a list of shelters).

### 2. What should my family bring to the shelter?

A. After securing your housing unit, you should bring your family hurricane kit. A list of items in this kit is provided in this handout (see pg 4).

### 3. Can I bring our family pet with us?

A. No, the shelters are not designed to accommodate animals unless it is a Service animal (i.e., seeing eye dog or sensing dogs). Your pet should be secured in your quarters, make the proper kennel arrangements, or as a last resort brought to the shelter but kept in your car (see pg 4).

### 4. How will I know when to evacuate my quarters?

A. Shelters will be opened selectively depending on storm severity. Listen to radio, television (HACN-TV2), and Military Police for the call to evacuate.

### 5. How long can my family expect to be in their assigned shelter?

A. You can expect to remain in your assigned shelter for approximately 12 hours or until the all clear signal is given. The shelter is set up to accommodate your family only during the time when the storm actually hits the island.

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